

# HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON SENIOR HEALTH, SECURITY AND RETIREMENT

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327 House Office Building

Tuesday 9:00 A.M.

April 18, 2006

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**Representative Vander Veen, Chair**, called the meeting to order.

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Representatives Vander Veen, Green, Stahl, Proos, Zelenko, Polidori, Clack and Vagnozzi.

**Representative Green** moved, supported by **Representative Polidori**, to excuse the absent member.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by **unanimous consent**.

**MEMBER ABSENT/EXCUSED:** Representative Van Regenmorter.

**Representative Polidori** moved, supported by **Representative Vagnozzi**, to approve the minutes of the **March 7, 2006** meeting.

There being no objection, the motion prevailed by **unanimous consent**.

**The Chair** laid **HB 5762 and HB 5919** before the committee.

HB 5762    Vander Veen            Health; other; long-term health care continuum act; create.

HB 5919    Stahl                            Health; code; cleanup of provisions related to the long-term care continuum act; provide for.

**The Chair** proceeded with the business of the committee by introducing **Stacey Hettiger**, representing the House Republican Policy Office. Ms. Hettiger explained the changes made to the proposed substitute **(H-1) for HB 5762**. Ms. Hettiger also covered the proposed amendments to **HB 5762 (H-1) and HB 5919**.

The following submitted testimony cards in **support of HB 5762 and HB 5919** and did not wish to speak.

**Deborah Wood**, representing the Michigan Department of Human Services, Adult Foster Care Licensing, Homes for the Aged, and Office of Children and Adult Licensing

**Setphanie Wuttke**, representing the Michigan Advocacy Project

**Bill Knox**, representing the American Association of Retired Persons

**Neale Musolff**, representing the Advanced Insurance Marketers

**Alison Hirschel**, representing the Michigan Campaign for Quality Care  
**Sarah Slocum**, representing the State Long Term Care Ombudsman\*  
**Mark Cody**, representing the Michigan Protection and Advocacy Service

The following submitted testimony cards in **opposition to HB 5762 and HB 5919** and did not wish to speak.

**David Herbel**, representing the Michigan Association of Home and Services for the Aging  
**Linda Lawther**, representing the Michigan Center for Assisted Living\*  
**Kim Ringlever**, representing the Health Care Association of Michigan\*

**Mary Ablan**, representing the Area Agencies on Aging, testified in **support of HB 5672 and HB 5919**.

**Orlene Christie**, representing the Michigan Department of Community Health, testified in **support of HB 5672 and HB 5919**. Questions and discussion followed.

The Chair placed the committee at ease at 9:45 a.m.

The Chair called the meeting back to order at 9:53 a.m.

**Representative Green** moved, supported by **Representative Stahl**, to adopt the **(H-1)** substitute for **HB 5672**.

The motion prevailed by **a vote of 8-0-0**.

#### **FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Vander Veen, Green, Stahl, Proos, Zelenko, Polidori, Clack and Vagnozzi.

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

**Chair Vander Veen** offered the following amendments to **HB 5672 (H-1)**.

1. Amend page 148, line 5, after the "department" by inserting "of community health".
2. Amend page 191, line 4, by striking out all of subsection (2) and renumbering the remaining subsection.
3. Amend page 205, following line 26, by inserting:  
 "Sec. 4532. (1) The department shall notify the clerk of the city, village, or township of all newly licensed adult foster care facilities within 30 days after the issuance of a license.  
 (2) The department shall notify the clerk of the city, village, or township of the location of all licensed adult foster care facilities within the boundaries of that city, village, or township within 30 days after receipt of the request."

**Representative Proos** moved, supported by **Representative Polidori**, to adopt the amendments to **HB 5672 (H-1)**.

The motion prevailed by **a vote of 8-0-0.**

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Vander Veen, Green, Stahl, Proos, Zelenko, Polidori, Clack and Vagnozzi,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

**Chair Vander Veen** offered the following amendments to **HB 5672 (H-1).**

1. Amend page 7, line 10, after “Review” by striking out “and approve”.

2. Amend page 7, line 12, by inserting:

“(d) Approve Medicaid long-term care supports and services policy formulated by state departments and agencies for adoption or implementation.” and reletter the remaining subdivisions.

**Representative Green** moved, supported by **Representative Clack**, to adopt the amendments to **HB 5672 (H-1).**

The motion prevailed by **a vote of 8-0-0.**

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Vander Veen, Green, Stahl, Proos, Zelenko, Polidori, Clack and Vagnozzi,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

**Representative Zelenko** moved, supported by **Representative Green**, to report **HB 5672** as **substitute (H-2)** with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by **a vote of 8-0-0.**

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Vander Veen, Green, Stahl, Proos, Zelenko, Polidori, Clack and Vagnozzi,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

**HB 5672 (H-2) reported out with recommendation.**

**Chair Vander Veen** offered the following amendment to **HB 5919.**

1. Amend page 15, line 26, by striking out all of line 26 through the balance of the section.

**Representative Zelenko** moved, supported by **Representative Stahl**, to adopt the amendment to **HB 5919**.

The motion prevailed by **a vote of 8-0-0**.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Vander Veen, Green, Stahl, Proos, Zelenko, Polidori, Clack and Vagnozzi,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

**Representative Stahl** moved, supported by **Representative Polidori**, to report **HB 5919** as **substitute (H-1)** with recommendation.

The motion prevailed by **a vote of 8-0-0**.

**FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:**

Yeas: Representatives Vander Veen, Green, Stahl, Proos, Zelenko, Polidori, Clack and Vagnozzi,

Nays: None,

Pass: None.

**HB 5919 (H-1) reported out with recommendation.**

With no further business to come before the committee, **the Chair** adjourned the meeting, the time being **10:05 a.m.**

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Representative Vander Veen, Chair

Dave Mead  
Committee Clerk  
April 18, 2006  
1 hour 5 minutes

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Date Approved and Signed

\* indicated printed material attached to original minutes.